

**UNIFORM**

**CRIME**

**REPORTS**

*for the United States*

**PRINTED ANNUALLY—1973**

**ADVISORY: Committee on Uniform Crime Records  
International Association of Chiefs of Police  
Carl V. Goodin, Chief of Police, Cincinnati Police  
Department, Cincinnati, Ohio, Chairman**



**Clarence M. Kelley  
Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation  
U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, D.C. 20535**

---

For sale by the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office  
Washington, D.C. 20402 - Price \$2.95  
Stock Number 2701-00012

US.5 ILC

1913

C.2

✓SE

## Contents

	Page
Foreword.....	vi-vii
Crime factors.....	viii
Crime Index totals.....	1-2
Crime and population.....	2
Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter.....	2-10
Aggravated assault.....	11-13
Forcible rape.....	13-15
Robbery.....	15-19
Burglary.....	19-22
Larceny.....	22-26
Auto theft.....	26-28
Clearances.....	28-30
Persons arrested.....	30-34
Persons charged.....	34-35
Law enforcement employee data.....	35-37
Law enforcement officers killed data.....	37-48
Summary of Uniform Crime Reporting Program.....	50-56
The Index of Crime, 1973.....	57-95
United States, 1973 (table 1).....	58
United States, 1960 to 1973 (table 2).....	59
United States, 1972-1973, by regions, geographic divisions, and states (table 3).....	60-65
States (table 4).....	66-76
Standard metropolitan statistical areas (table 5).....	77-95
General United States crime statistics, 1973.....	97-120
Crime trends, 1972-1973, by population groups (table 6).....	98-99
Crime trends, 1972-1973, suburban and nonsuburban cities, by population groups (table 7).....	100
Crime trends, 1972-1973, suburban and nonsuburban counties by population groups (table 8).....	101
Crime trends, 1972-1973, offense breakdown, by population groups (table 9).....	102-103
Crime rates, by population groups (table 10).....	104-105
Crime rates, suburban and nonsuburban cities, by population groups (table 11).....	106
Crime rates, suburban and nonsuburban counties, by population groups (table 12).....	107
Crime rates, offense breakdown, by population groups (table 13).....	108
Offenses known, cleared by arrest, by population groups (table 14).....	109-110
Offenses known, cleared by arrest, by geographic divisions (table 15).....	111
Offenses cleared by arrest of persons under 18 years of age (table 16).....	112-113

General United States crime statistics, 1973—Continued	Page
Offenses known breakdown, cleared by arrest, by population groups (table 17).....	114-115
Disposition of persons formally charged by the police (table 18)---	116
Persons charged—percent arrested or summoned (table 19).....	117
Offenses known, cleared, persons arrested, charged, and disposed of (table 20).....	118
Police disposition of juvenile offenders taken into custody (table 21).....	119
Offense analysis (table 22).....	120
Type and value of property stolen and recovered (table 23).....	120
Arrests, 1973.....	121-161
Total estimated arrests, United States, 1973 (table 24).....	121
Number and rate by population group (table 25).....	122-123
Arrest trends, 1960-1973 (table 26).....	124
Arrest trends, 1968-1973 (table 27).....	125
Arrest trends by sex, 1960-1973 (table 28).....	126
Total arrest trends, 1972-1973 (table 29).....	127
Total arrests by age group (table 30).....	128-129
Total arrests of persons under 15, under 18, under 21, and under 25 (table 31).....	130
Total arrests, distribution by sex (table 32).....	131
Total arrest trends by sex, 1972-1973 (table 33).....	132
Total arrests by race (table 34).....	133-135
City arrest trends, 1972-1973 (table 35).....	136
City arrests by age (table 36).....	137-138
City arrests of persons under 15, under 18, under 21, and under 25 (table 37).....	139
City arrests, distribution by sex (table 38).....	140
City arrest trends by sex, 1972-1973 (table 39).....	141
City arrests by race (table 40).....	142-144
Suburban arrest trends, 1972-1973 (table 41).....	145
Suburban arrests by age (table 42).....	146-147
Suburban arrests of persons under 15, under 18, under 21, and under 25 (table 43).....	148
Suburban arrests, distribution by sex (table 44).....	149
Suburban arrests by race (table 45).....	150-152
Rural arrest trends, 1972-1973 (table 46).....	153
Rural arrests by age (table 47).....	154-155
Rural arrests of persons under 15, under 18, under 21, and under 25 (table 48).....	156
Rural arrests, distribution by sex (table 49).....	157
Rural arrests by race (table 50).....	158-160
Suburban and rural arrest trends by sex, 1972-1973 (table 51)....	161
Law enforcement employee data, 1973.....	163-222
Full-time law enforcement employees; number, rate, and range (table 52).....	164
Full-time law enforcement officers; number, rate, and range (table 53).....	165
Percent distribution of law enforcement employees by male and female (table 54).....	166
Law enforcement officers patrol and shift assignments (table 55)---	167

Law enforcement employee data, 1973—Continued	Page
Law enforcement employees and patrol assignments (table 56)-----	168
Law enforcement officer shift assignments (table 57)-----	168
Law enforcement officer patrol types (table 58)-----	168
Law enforcement officer patrols, type and shift (table 59)-----	169
Civilian employees, percent of total (table 60)-----	169
Assaults on law enforcement officers by geographic divisions and population groups (table 61)-----	170
Assaults on law enforcement officers, percent distribution of wea- pons used (table 62)-----	170
Assaults on law enforcement officers; activity by type of weapon (table 63)-----	171
Assaults on law enforcement officers, type of weapon and activity (table 64)-----	172
Assaults on law enforcement officers by time of day (table 65)-----	173
Assaults on law enforcement officers, type of activity by percent of officer assignment (table 66)-----	174
Assaults on law enforcement officers, type of assignment by activity (table 67)-----	175
Assaults on law enforcement officers and percent cleared (table 68).. <td>176</td>	176
Full-time state police and highway patrol employees, and police killed (table 69)-----	177
Law enforcement employees in individual cities, universities, and suburban and rural counties with 25,000 or more inhabitants (tables 70, 71, 72, 73 and 74)-----	178-222
Offenses in individual areas 10,000 and over, by population groups, and universities (tables 75 and 76)-----	223-266
Offenses in individual suburban and rural counties with 25,000 or more inhabitants (tables 77 and 78)-----	267-282